

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY NDJAMENA

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FOLLOWING REPEAT NIAMEY 1466 ACTION SECSTATE INFO  
BANQUI LAGOS PARIS TRIPOLI YAOUNDE DTD 18 APR

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C O N F I D E N T I A L NIAMEY 1466

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, CD, NG

SUBJ: CHADIAN COUP D'ETAT

LOCAL REACTION TO CHADIAN COUP HAS BEEN LOW KEY.  
USING AFP WIRE SERVICE, NIAMEY'S ONLY DAILY HAS  
REPORTED EVENTS WITHOUT COMMENT. ONLY OFFICIAL  
REACTION HAS BEEN STATEMENT BY UNIDENTIFIED MFA OFFICIAL  
TO LOCAL PRESS TO EFFECT THAT COUP IN CHAD IS ENTIRELY  
DOMESTIC MATTER ABOUT WHICH GON HAS NO COMMENT WHATSOEVER.

COMMENT: AS CHAD'S COUP TOOK PLACE ABOUT SAME TIME AS NIGER'S  
MILITARY GOVERNMENT WAS CELEBRATING FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF ITS  
OWN SUCCESSFUL COUP, GON COULD HARDLY HAVE SAID MORE.

DEPARTMENT MAY WISH REPEAT TO NDJAMENA. HECK UNQTE  
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